Alberta

Labour Force Statistics

January 2016 Aboriginal Population Off-Reserve Package

Package Includes:

- Information for all Aboriginal people, First Nations and Métis
- Working age population, labour force, employment, unemployment and corresponding rates
- Full-time, part-time, public and private sector and self-employed breakdowns
- Gender and age breakdowns
- Edmonton, Calgary and rest of Alberta breakdowns
- Industry, occupational and educational attainment information

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Aboriginal People Off-Reserve Unemployment Rate, Canada and Provinces
Unadjusted, 3-Month Moving Average

	January 2016	December 2015	Monthly Change	January 2015	Yearly Change
Alberta	**16.0%**	14.1%	+1.9	8.8%	+7.2
British Columbia	**11.5%**	12.8%	-1.3	12.6%	-1.1
Saskatchewan	**12.3%**	12.0%	+0.3	8.5%	+3.8
Manitoba	**12.1%**	11.6%	+0.5	9.7%	+2.4
Ontario	**10.5%**	9.6%	+0.9	11.2%	-0.7
Québec	**11.4%**	11.0%	+0.4	10.8%	+0.6
New Brunswick	**15.2%**	n/a	n/a	20.0%	-4.8
Nova Scotia	**14.0%**	11.4%	+2.6	12.0%	+2.0
Prince Edward Island	**n/a**	n/a	n/a	22.6%	n/a
Nfld. Lab.	**23.3%**	19.1%	+4.2	14.2%	+9.1
Canada	**12.8%**	12.0%	+0.8	10.8%	+2.0

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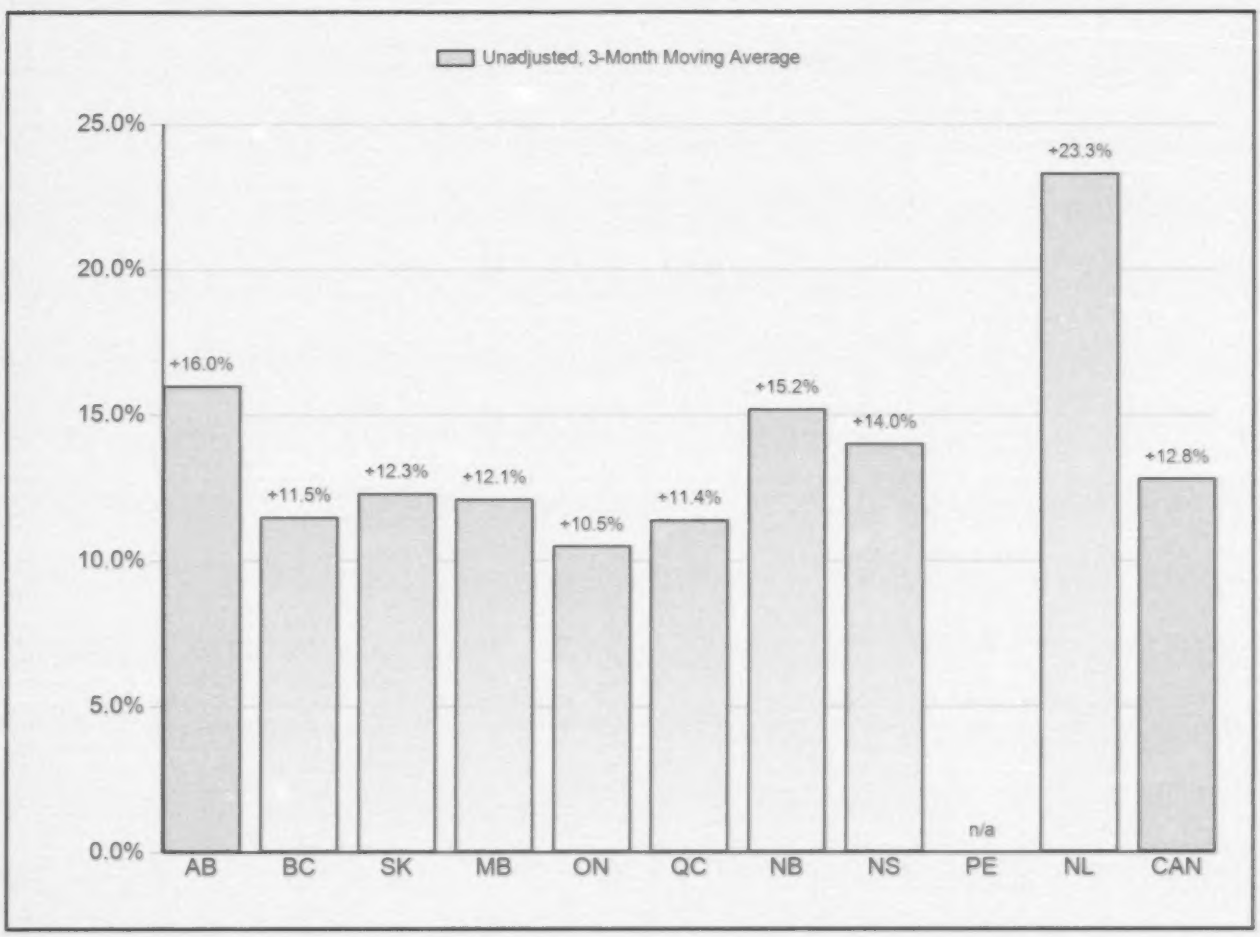
Aboriginal People Off-Reserve Unemployment Rate, Canada and Provinces



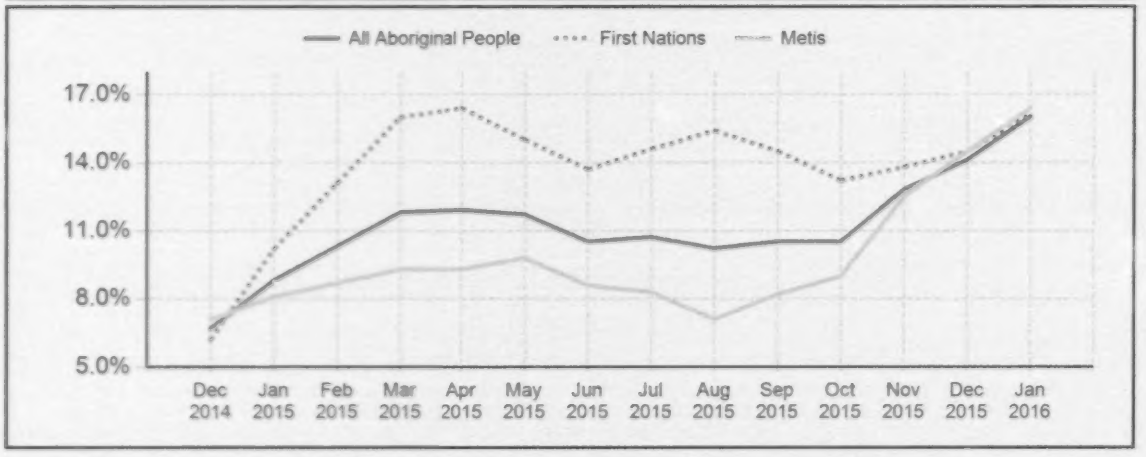
Alberta Aboriginal People Off-Reserve Labour Force Statistics
Unadjusted, 3-Month Moving Average

All Aboriginal People	January 2016	December 2015	Monthly Change	January 2015	Yearly Change
Working Age Population (000s)	**153.8**	153.2	+0.6	148.4	+5.4
Labour Force (000s)	**106.0**	106.3	-0.3	103.0	+3.0
Employed (000s)	**89.1**	91.3	-2.2	94.0	-4.9
Unemployed (000s)	**17.0**	15.0	+2.0	9.1	+7.9
Participation Rate (%)	**69.0%**	69.4%	-0.4	69.4%	-0.4
Employment Rate (%)	**57.9%**	59.6%	-1.7	63.3%	-5.4
Unemployment Rate (%)	**16.0%**	14.1%	+1.9	8.8%	+7.2

First Nations	January 2016	December 2015	Monthly Change	January 2015	Yearly Change
Working Age Population (000s)	**59.1**	58.8	+0.3	57.1	+2.0
Labour Force (000s)	**39.2**	39.0	+0.2	40.7	-1.5
Employed (000s)	**32.9**	33.3	-0.4	36.5	-3.6
Unemployed (000s)	**6.3**	5.7	+0.6	4.1	+2.2
Participation Rate (%)	**66.4%**	66.3%	+0.1	71.2%	-4.8
Employment Rate (%)	**55.7%**	56.7%	-1.0	64.0%	-8.3
Unemployment Rate (%)	**16.1%**	14.5%	+1.6	10.2%	+5.9

Métis	January 2016	December 2015	Monthly Change	January 2015	Yearly Change
Working Age Population (000s)	**91.1**	90.7	+0.4	88.7	+2.4
Labour Force (000s)	**63.4**	64.0	-0.6	60.7	+2.7
Employed (000s)	**53.0**	54.8	-1.8	55.7	-2.7
Unemployed (000s)	**10.4**	9.3	+1.1	4.9	+5.5
Participation Rate (%)	**69.6%**	70.6%	-1.0	68.4%	+1.2
Employment Rate (%)	**58.2%**	60.4%	-2.2	62.8%	-4.6
Unemployment Rate (%)	**16.4%**	14.5%	+1.9	8.1%	+8.3

Unemployment Rate by Population Group
Unadjusted, 3-Month Moving Average



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Caution on sample size

Alberta Aboriginal People Off-Reserve Employment Characteristics
Unadjusted (000s), 3-Month Moving Average

All Aboriginal People	**January 2016**	December 2015	Monthly Change	January 2015	Yearly Change
Employed	**89.1**	91.3	-2.2	94.0	-4.9
Full-Time Employment	**69.9**	74.3	-4.4	75.9	-6.0
Part-Time Employment	**19.2**	17.0	+2.2	18.0	+1.2
Unemployed	**17.0**	15.0	+2.0	9.1	+7.9
Employees	**77.0**	79.2	-2.2	84.5	-7.5
Private Sector Employees	**60.6**	63.9	-3.3	71.2	-10.6
Public Sector Employees	**16.4**	15.4	+1.0	13.3	+3.1
Self-Employed	**12.1**	12.0	+0.1	9.5	+2.6

First Nations	**January 2016**	December 2015	Monthly Change	January 2015	Yearly Change
Employed	**32.9**	33.3	-0.4	36.5	-3.6
Full-Time Employment	**26.8**	28.5	-1.7	30.0	-3.2
Part-Time Employment	**6.1**	4.8	+1.3	6.5	-0.4
Unemployed	**6.3**	5.7	+0.6	4.1	+2.2
Employees	**29.2**	29.5	-0.3	32.1	-2.9
Private Sector Employees	**22.2**	23.4	-1.2	26.9	-4.7
Public Sector Employees	**7.0**	6.0	+1.0	5.2	+1.8
Self-Employed	**3.7**	3.9	-0.2	4.4	-0.7

Métis	**January 2016**	December 2015	Monthly Change	January 2015	Yearly Change
Employed	**53.0**	54.8	-1.8	55.7	-2.7
Full-Time Employment	**41.2**	44.0	-2.8	44.3	-3.1
Part-Time Employment	**11.8**	10.8	+1.0	11.5	+0.3
Unemployed	**10.4**	9.3	+1.1	4.9	+5.5
Employees	**44.7**	46.7	-2.0	50.7	-6.0
Private Sector Employees	**35.9**	37.9	-2.0	42.6	-6.7
Public Sector Employees	**8.8**	8.8	0.0	8.1	+0.7
Self-Employed	**8.3**	8.0	+0.3	5.0	+3.3

Data Source: Statistics Canada, Labour Force Survey

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Alberta Aboriginal People Off-Reserve Unemployment Rates by Age and Gender
Unadjusted, 3-Month Moving Average

	All (Ages 15+)				
	January 2016	December 2015	Monthly Change	January 2015	Yearly Change
All Aboriginal People	16.0%	14.1%	+1.9	8.8%	+7.2
Men	20.4%	16.4%	+4.0	7.6%	+12.8
Women	11.3%	11.8%	-0.5	10.1%	+1.2
First Nations	16.1%	14.5%	+1.6	10.2%	+5.9
Men	20.6%	17.2%	+3.4	9.3%	+3.4
Women	11.4%	11.7%	-0.3	11.1%	+0.3
Métis	16.4%	14.5%	+1.9	8.1%	+8.3
Men	21.1%	16.5%	+4.6	6.8%	+14.3
Women	11.2%	12.4%	-1.2	9.5%	+1.7

Alberta Aboriginal People Off-Reserve Employment Rates by Age and Gender
Unadjusted, 3-Month Moving Average

	Youth (Ages 15-24)				
	January 2016	December 2015	Monthly Change	January 2015	Yearly Change
All Aboriginal People	52.3%	57.0%	-4.7	52.3%	0.0
Men	54.6%	57.8%	-3.2	61.0%	-6.4
Women	49.8%	56.0%	-6.2	45.3%	+4.5
First Nations	51.3%	54.8%	-3.5	53.0%	-1.7
Métis	51.4%	57.6%	-6.2	53.7%	-2.3

	Adults (Ages 25+)				
	January 2016	December 2015	Monthly Change	January 2015	Yearly Change
All Aboriginal People	59.6%	60.3%	-1.7	66.5%	-6.9
Men	59.6%	61.9%	-2.3	69.5%	-9.9
Women	59.6%	58.8%	+0.8	63.6%	-4.0
First Nations	57.2%	57.3%	-0.1	67.7%	-10.5
Métis	60.0%	61.0%	-1.0	65.2%	-5.2

Data Source: Statistics Canada, Labour Force Survey

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Alberta Aboriginal People Off-Reserve Working Age Population by Age and Gender
Unadjusted (000s), 3-Month Moving Average

	All (Ages 15+)				
	January 2016	December 2015	Monthly Change	January 2015	Yearly Change
All Aboriginal People	153.8	153.2	+0.6	148.4	+5.4
Men	74.7	74.4	+0.3	71.9	+2.8
Women	79.0	78.8	+0.2	76.5	+2.5
First Nations	59.1	58.8	+0.3	57.1	+2.0
Men	27.7	27.6	+0.1	26.6	+1.1
Women	31.3	31.2	+0.1	30.5	+0.8
Métis	91.1	90.7	+0.4	88.7	+2.4
Men	45.6	45.7	-0.1	43.5	+2.1
Women	45.5	45.1	+0.4	45.1	+0.4

	Youth (Ages 15-24)				
	January 2016	December 2015	Monthly Change	January 2015	Yearly Change
All Aboriginal People	35.3	33.0	+2.3	33.7	+1.6
Men	17.8	17.4	+0.4	15.0	+2.8
Women	17.4	15.6	+1.8	18.7	-1.3
First Nations	14.9	15.0	-0.1	14.6	+0.3
Men	7.7	7.9	-0.2	6.1	+1.6
Women	7.2	7.1	+0.1	8.5	-1.3
Métis	19.3	17.0	+2.3	18.0	+1.3
Men	9.9	9.3	+0.6	8.6	+1.3
Women	9.4	7.7	+1.7	9.5	-0.1

	Adults (Ages 25+)				
	January 2016	December 2015	Monthly Change	January 2015	Yearly Change
All Aboriginal People	118.5	120.2	-1.7	114.7	+3.8
Men	56.9	57.0	-0.1	56.9	0.0
Women	61.6	63.2	-1.6	57.8	+3.8
First Nations	44.2	43.8	+0.4	42.5	+1.7
Men	20.1	19.7	+0.4	20.6	-0.5
Women	24.1	24.1	0.0	22.0	+2.1
Métis	71.7	73.7	-2.0	70.7	+1.0
Men	35.6	36.3	-0.7	35.0	+0.6
Women	36.1	37.4	-1.3	35.7	+0.4

Data Source: Statistics Canada, Labour Force Survey

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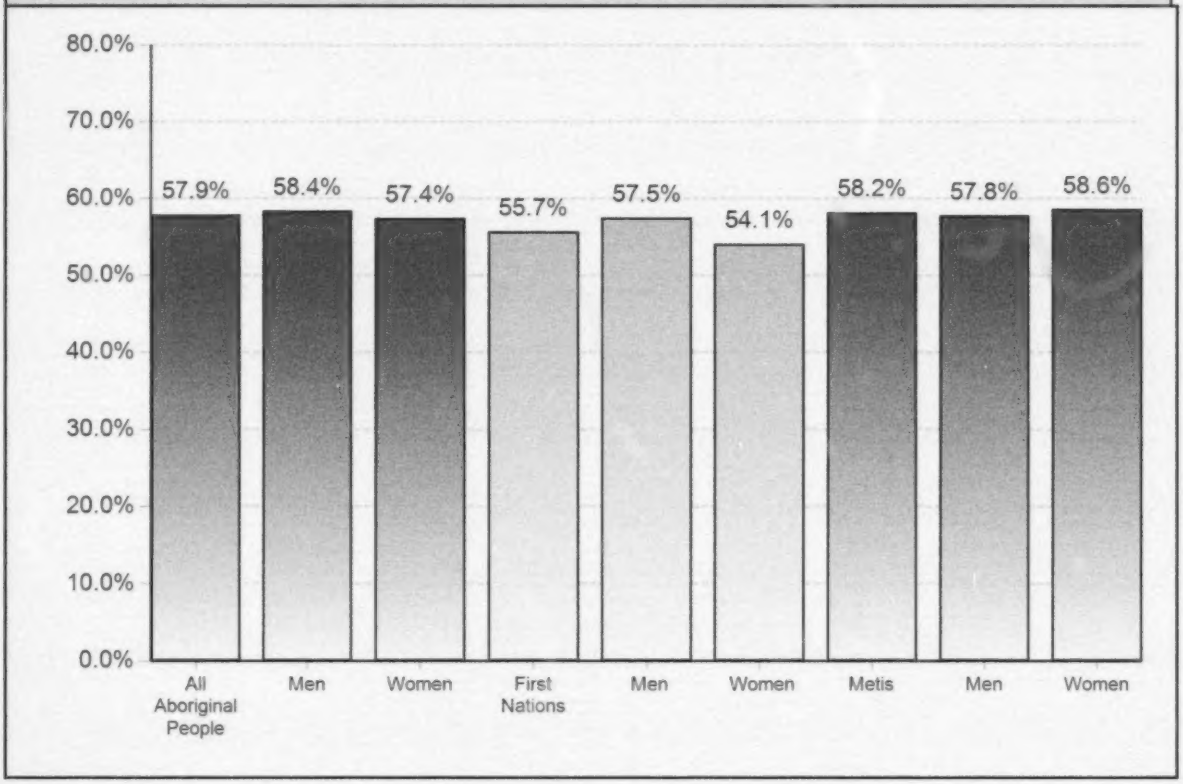
Alberta Aboriginal People Off-Reserve Employment Rates by Gender
Unadjusted, 3-Month Moving Average

	January 2016	December 2015	Monthly Change	January 2015	Yearly Change
All Aboriginal People	**57.9%**	59.6%	-1.7	63.3%	-5.4
Men	**58.4%**	60.9%	-2.5	67.7%	-9.3
Women	**57.4%**	58.3%	-0.9	59.1%	-1.7
First Nations	**55.7%**	56.7%	-1.0	64.0%	-8.3
Men	**57.5%**	59.7%	-2.2	68.9%	-11.4
Women	**54.1%**	54.0%	+0.1	59.7%	-5.6
Métis	**58.2%**	60.4%	-2.2	62.8%	-4.6
Men	**57.8%**	60.7%	-2.9	66.2%	-8.4
Women	**58.6%**	60.0%	-1.4	59.6%	-1.0

Alberta Aboriginal People Off-Reserve Employment Rates by Gender
January 2016, Unadjusted, 3-Month Moving Average



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Alberta Aboriginal People Off-Reserve Participation Rates by Gender
Unadjusted, 3-Month Moving Average

	January 2016	December 2015	Monthly Change	January 2015	Yearly Change
All Aboriginal People	**69.0%**	69.4%	-0.4	69.4%	-0.4
Men	**73.4%**	72.9%	+0.5	73.3%	+0.1
Women	**64.8%**	66.1%	-1.3	65.8%	-1.0
First Nations	**66.4%**	66.3%	+0.1	71.2%	-4.8
Men	**72.4%**	72.2%	+0.2	75.9%	-3.5
Women	**61.1%**	61.2%	-0.1	67.2%	-6.1
Métis	**69.6%**	70.6%	-1.0	68.4%	+1.2
Men	**73.2%**	72.6%	+0.6	71.0%	+2.2
Women	**66.0%**	68.5%	-2.5	65.9%	+0.1

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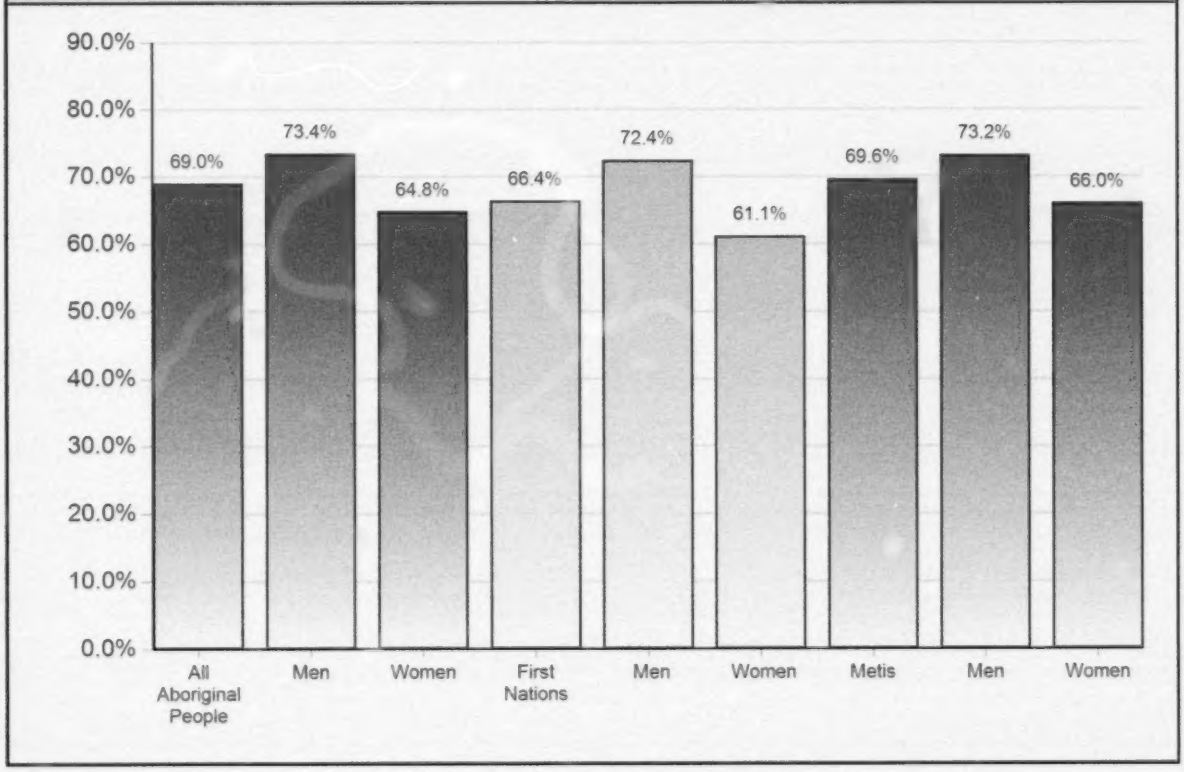

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Aboriginal People Off-Reserve Employment
Alberta Economic Regions
Unadjusted, 3-Month Moving Average

All Aboriginal People	Employment (000s)		
	Edmonton	Calgary	Rest Of Alberta
January 2016	33.9	18.6	36.6
December 2015	35.4	19.0	36.8
January 2015	37.0	23.4	33.5

First Nations	Employment (000s)		
	Edmonton	Calgary	Rest Of Alberta
January 2016	11.4	9.8	11.7
December 2015	13.2	8.8	11.3
January 2015	14.3	9.9	12.3

Métis	Employment (000s)		
	Edmonton	Calgary	Rest Of Alberta
January 2016	20.7	8.4	23.9
December 2015	20.7	9.7	24.4
January 2015	22.7	12.4	20.5

Aboriginal People Off-Reserve Unemployment Rates
Alberta Economic Regions
Unadjusted, 3-Month Moving Average

All Aboriginal People	Unemployment Rate		
	Edmonton	Calgary	Rest of Alberta
January 2016	14.0%	n/a	20.2%
December 2015	13.5%	n/a	17.3%
January 2015	7.8%	n/a	11.1%

Data Source: Statistics Canada, Labour Force Survey

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Alberta Aboriginal People Off-Reserve Employment by Industry
Unadjusted (000s), 3-Month Moving Average

	January 2016	December 2015	Monthly Change	January 2015	Yearly Change
All Industries	**89.1**	**91.3**	**-2.2**	**94.0**	**-4.9**
Goods-Producing Sector	***31.2***	*33.6*	*-2.4*	*27.8*	*+3.4*
Agriculture	**n/a**	n/a	0.0	n/a	0.0
Forestry, Fishing, Mining, Oil and Gas	**11.6**	12.5	-0.9	7.1	+4.5
Utilities	**n/a**	n/a	0.0	n/a	0.0
Construction	**15.0**	16.1	-1.1	15.5	-0.5
Manufacturing	**3.1**	3.2	-0.1	4.9	-1.8
Services-Producing Sector	***57.9***	*57.6*	*+0.3*	*66.1*	*-8.2*
Retail and Wholesale Trade	**15.0**	14.1	+0.9	14.5	+0.5
Transportation and Warehousing	**4.2**	3.9	+0.3	4.7	-0.5
Finance, Insurance, Real Estate and Leasing	**2.8**	3.6	-0.8	4.9	-2.1
Professional, Scientific and Technical Services	**3.9**	4.5	-0.6	5.1	-1.2
Management, Administrative and Other Support	**2.7**	3.2	-0.5	4.3	-1.6
Educational Services	**5.0**	5.0	0.0	4.3	+0.7
Health Care and Social Assistance	**8.3**	8.3	0.0	9.5	-1.2
Information, Culture and Recreation	**2.0**	1.8	+0.2	2.9	-0.9
Accommodation and Food Services	**4.6**	4.8	-0.2	7.2	-2.6
Other Services	**4.4**	4.4	0.0	4.9	-0.5
Public Administration	**4.9**	4.1	+0.8	3.9	+1.0

Alberta Aboriginal People Off-Reserve Employment by Occupation
Unadjusted (000s), 3-Month Moving Average

	January 2016	December 2015	Monthly Change	January 2015	Yearly Change
All occupations	**89.1**	91.3	-2.2	94.0	-4.9
Management occupations	**7.6**	7.0	+0.6	3.5	+4.1
Business, finance and administration occupations	**16.2**	16.7	-0.5	12.5	+3.7
Natural and applied sciences and related occupations	**4.8**	5.0	-0.2	4.1	+0.7
Health occupations	**4.5**	4.5	0.0	5.9	-1.4
Occupations in education, law and social, community and government services	**8.2**	8.4	-0.2	8.5	-0.3
Occupations in art, culture, recreation and sport	**n/a**	n/a	0.0	1.9	-1.9
Sales and service occupations	**19.9**	20.3	-0.4	22.6	-2.7
Trades, transport and equipment operators and related occupations	**20.2**	22.5	-2.3	28.2	-8.0
Natural resources, agriculture and related production occupations	**4.9**	5.2	-0.3	3.1	+1.8
Occupations in manufacturing and utilities	**1.6**	1.2	+0.4	3.5	-1.9

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Alberta Aboriginal People Off-Reserve (ages 15-64)
Labour Force by Educational Attainment
Unadjusted (000s), 3-Month Moving Average

All Aboriginal People	**January 2016**	December 2015	**Monthly Change**	January 2015	**Yearly Change**
Some post-secondary education or less	**46.8**	45.8	+1.0	40.1	+6.7
Completed post-secondary education	**46.8**	48.6	-1.8	53.0	-6.2

First Nations	**January 2016**	December 2015	**Monthly Change**	January 2015	**Yearly Change**
Some post-secondary education or less	**19.4**	17.9	+1.5	18.8	+0.6
Completed post-secondary education	**16.1**	16.4	-0.3	18.6	-2.5

Métis	**January 2016**	December 2015	**Monthly Change**	January 2015	**Yearly Change**
Some post-secondary education or less	**26.8**	27.1	-0.3	21.0	+5.8
Completed post-secondary education	**29.4**	30.9	-1.5	33.0	-3.6

Alberta Aboriginal People Off-Reserve (ages 15-64)
Employment Rates by Educational Attainment
Unadjusted (000s), 3-Month Moving Average

All Aboriginal People	**January 2016**	December 2015	**Monthly Change**	January 2015	**Yearly Change**
Some post-secondary education or less	**55.8%**	56.0%	-0.2	64.8%	-9.0
Completed post-secondary education	**76.5%**	77.1%	-0.6	79.7%	-3.2

First Nations	**January 2016**	December 2015	**Monthly Change**	January 2015	**Yearly Change**
Some post-secondary education or less	**54.8%**	51.5%	+3.3	68.9%	-14.1
Completed post-secondary education	**78.7%**	81.6%	-2.9	75.6%	+3.1

Métis	**January 2016**	December 2015	**Monthly Change**	January 2015	**Yearly Change**
Some post-secondary education or less	**56.0%**	58.9%	-2.9	61.3%	-5.3
Completed post-secondary education	**74.4%**	74.2%	+0.2	81.3%	-6.9

Caution on sample size.
Data in these tables are for people ages 15-64 who are no longer in school (non-students).